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SUBJ: DISCRIMINATORY CUSTOMS DUTY ON AMERICAN CARS

REF: (A) STATE 086136, (B) BAGHDAD 350

1. IN REPLY TO DEMARCHE REPORTED BAGHDAD 350, USINT RECEIVED A NOTE FROM THE FOREIGN MINISTRY DATED APRIL 3 STATING THAT THE GOI CONSIDERS

THE 1938 TREATY OF COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION TO BE VALID AND HAS NO INTENTION OF CANCELING IT. REPLY MADE NO MENTION OF CUSTOMS DUTIES ON AMERICAN CARS.

2. USINT REPLIED BY NOTE STATING THAT THE USG ALSO CONSIDERS THE TREATY TO BE VALID AND IN THIS CONNECTION WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING A COPY OF THE FULL TEXT OF THE LAWS OR REGULATIONS CONCERNING CUSTOMS DUTIES OR OTHER FEES ASSESSED ON THE IMPORTATION OF AMERICAN AUTO-MOBILES.

3. FYI: IN IRAQ, DIRECTIVES TO CUSTOMS OFFICIALS ARE CONSIDERED TO BE CLASSIFIED GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS. END FYI.

4. USINT WILL CABLE TEXT OF REGULATIONS TO DEPT. AS SOON AS IT IS RECEIVED.

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